SENATE BILL 32 By Cohen

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 9, relative to academic eligibility for financial assistance from lottery proceeds.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-4-902(32), is amended by deleting the words and punctuation "other similar courses." and by substituting instead the language "other similar courses according to the uniform system of weighting of courses adopted by the state board of education under § 49-1-302(a)(18).".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-4-902, is amended by deleting item (31) in its entirety and by renumbering subsequent items appropriately.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-4-907(3)(A), is amended by deleting the word "unweighted" and by substituting instead the word "weighted".

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-4-920(a)(5), is amended by deleting the word "unweighted" and by substituting instead the word "weighted".

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to students seeking financial assistance from lottery proceeds for the 2005-2006 school year and thereafter.